

HANDGUN TESTS

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NO GUN MANUFACTURER ADS!

3rd Annual Edition! 1981

HONEST TESTS of PRODUCTION GUNS

No-Holds-Barred Tests of over 60 Handguns

Self Defense, Police, Concealed Carry, Combat, Target, Plinking and Hunting Handguns Tested!

Actual-Size Photos plus Cutaway Diagrams

Customize Your Gun at the Lowest Cost

Photo Proof about Recoil Reduction!

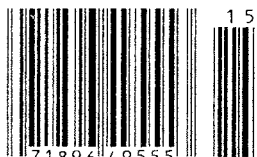
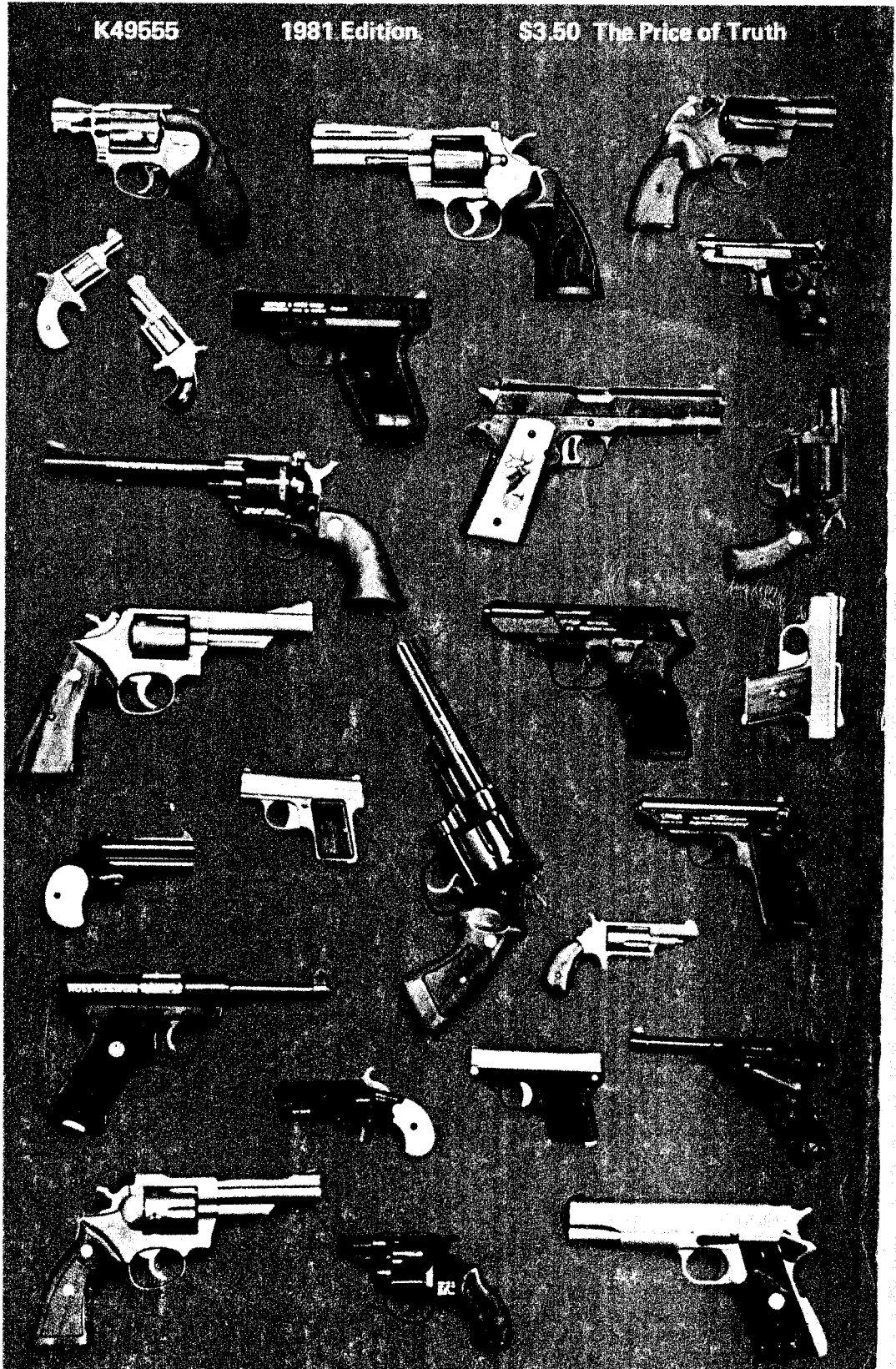
What Gun Lubes can Kill YOUR Ammo!

.22 to .44 Mag, we select the best guns you should buy.

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\$3.50 The Price of Truth

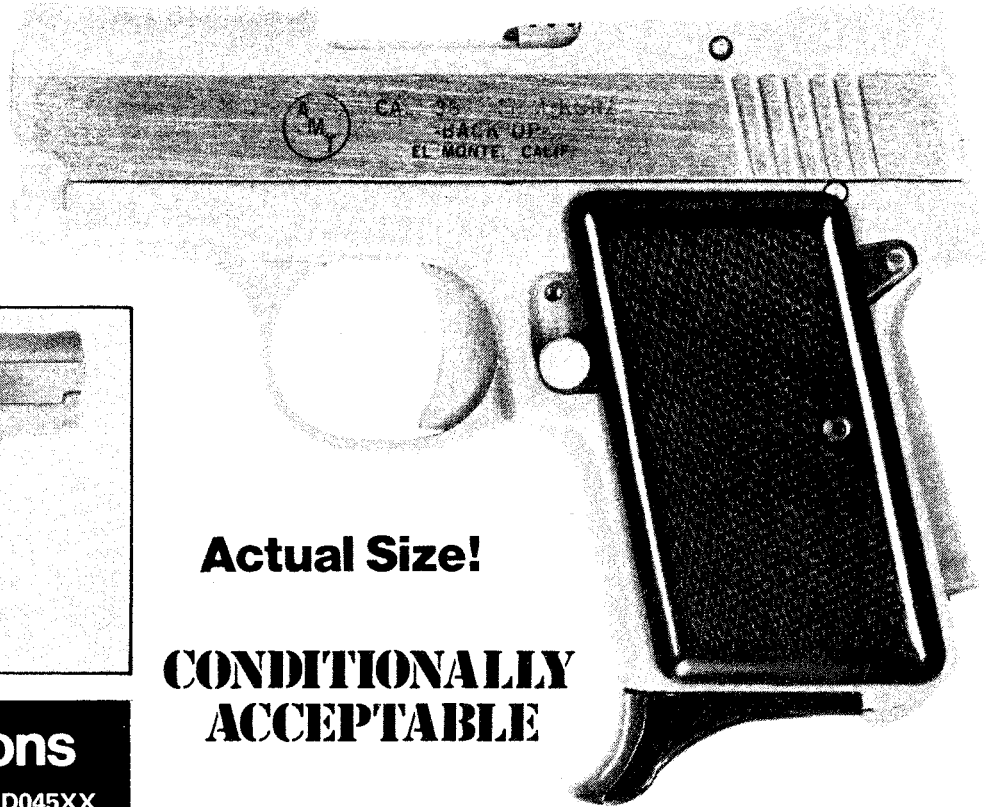


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AMT Backup .380 ACP

Concealed Carry



Actual Size!

CONDITIONALLY ACCEPTABLE



Specifications

- Serial number D045XX
- Approx. retail price \$250
- Maker AMT
- Model Backup
- Caliber380 ACP
- Type Semi-auto
- Action Single
- Number of shots 6
with one in chamber 7
- Weight, loaded 19 1/2 oz.
- Grips Checkered black plastic
- Safety Grip and thumb
- Barrel length 2.6 inches
- Type of sights Small fixed
- Sight radius 4.6 inches
- Finish Stainless steel
- Trigger pull SA 10 lbs.
- Thickness of gun at widest point95"

Spotty quality control . . . some work, others jam!

This has been a strange gun. Last year's guns worked, this year we had problems feeding even full metal case ammo into the guns. Stainless steel autos have a well earned reputation for being problem guns. This gun is a perfect example. Some of them work great and others won't feed a clip full of full metal case ammo and won't even feed 2 hollow points in a row.

We know that some of them work but we also know that some of them won't work no matter what clip (magazine) or ammo you put in them.

The gun is an attractive size for carrying concealed. There is another clip for this gun that does not have the extension, which in our opinion, makes the gun more difficult to carry.

If you have a good working relationship with your gun dealer, ask him if he can test fire one for you before you buy it. We wish we could say it worked like a PPK but.....

CHRONOGRAPH & ACCURACY TESTING

Brand	Caliber	Bullet Weight	Bullet Type	Velocity Ft/per/Sec	Energy Lbs/Ft	Group Size @ 15 Yards
Rem	.380	88-grains	JHP	822	131	4.7 inches
Fed	.380	95-grains	FMC	821	142	2.5 inches
Win	.380	95-grains	FMC	771	124	3.6 inches
Hornady	.380	100-grains	FMC	758	128	7.1 inches

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